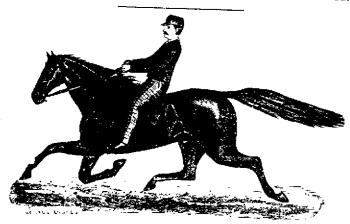
DECATUR, ILLINOIS. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9, 1890.

RACE CLOTHING MANUF'G CO.,

LEADING CLOTHIERS.

GEN'TS' FURNISHERS

FINE * MERCHANT * TAILORS.



GREAT REDUCTIONS →

In All Our Departments.

+OVERCOATS, HEAVY SUITS,+ Underwear, Gloves, Caps, Etc.,

At Greatly Reduced Prices.

Call and get our prices on Overcoats. We will place them so Cheap you can't afford to go without one.

The Best \$1.50 Child's Suit ever shown in the State. Call and see it.

CLOTHING MANUF'C CO.,

DECATUR, ILL, 129 and 135 North Water Street.

LOGAN & BEIK, Burton J B

The Pioneers of LOW PRICES in Decatur.

Other Dealers Have to Follow Our Lead!

WE do not turn our backs to any grocery store in Decatur, in the m tter of Low Prices. They are the Decatur, in the m tter of Low Prices. They are the ones who must follow US, or be left in the back ground. In the South, finds a large number of have been a number of Weiker's filibus-If you want to get the VERY LOWEST Prices that | tion of the negro because he votes the are to be had in Decatur on groceries, come to us and republican ticket. Speaking of a demoget the BOTTOM FIGURES.

Our Fruits, Canned and Evaporated, are so low that we shot negroes, because it got into Yankee papers, but have a new system of disposattention of our patrons and invite an examination. And everything in the housekeeping line is equally as low. Read our Price List below, and compare our figures with those of other dealers. We are not afraid of the comparison. A carload of "Queen of the North" Indiana Flour just received. It is a high grade winter wheat No. 1 Flour, and we sell it at \$1.05 per sack.

SEE THESE PRICES:

		
Granulated Sugar, 13 lbs for	California Hams, per lb, 738 Breakfast Bacon, 1238 Heavy Bacon, 100	
Best Ver process flour, per suck,	Best Lard, per lb,	
Variable Variable	Best Coal Oil, per gallon, 150 Best Vinegar, per gallon, 20e Fancy Raisins, new, 10e Oaliforma Prunes, 10e New French Prunes, 8'j Sardin's, 7c, or 4 for 25e	
Japan 15e to 50e Imperial, (best,) 50e Y. H. 35e to 50e apan Tea, in 1 lb cans, at 40e	Canner Peaches in syrup. 20e Canner Blackberries. 81/3 Sibley Canned Corn. 7c, or 4 for 25 Baking Powder, in 11b cans. 15oc Baking Powder, in buik, 2 hs. for 25c Mackerel, in pound cans, 10e	
bars Logan & Beik's, 250 bars Lautz Bros', 250 6 "Lenox soap, 250 6 bars National, 250 12 bars Palm Leaf, 250	Star Tobacco, 45a Climax Tobacco, 45a Whopper Tobacco, 25a Horse Shoe Tobacco, per pound, 45a Lemons, per dozen, 29a Brooms, 10a	
THESE PRICES AR		

Goods Delivered to all parts of the city.

+LOGAN & BEIK,+

150 Merchant St. Telephone 120.



+NO PIMPLES + WINTER WHEAT KILLED.

On the Face nor Eruptions on the Body, if you use our

-SARSAPAR I LLA.-

KING & WOOD

Druggists.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

A Farewell Reception. Miss Emma Cain gave a farewell dancing party last evening at the Guards Armory, and a most delightful time was enjoyed by all. Miss Cain will leave next Saturday with her parents for St. Louis, where the family will reside in the future. Dancing was the chief diversion of the evening, the Opera orchestra furnishing the inspiration which affected the participants most agreeably, and there was no cessation of the enjoyment until a late hour. Refreshments were served and the guests departed extending their best wishes to the fair hostess in her new home and hoping that her visits to this city be many. Those present were Edith Race, Zella Durfee, Blanche Burns, Lena Nelson, Bonnie Bartholomew, Anna Walson, Floy Gasaway, Jeannette Chambers, Alice Piper, Anna Cartis, Josephine Laux, Aileen Laux, Madge Hays, Mae Harwood, Grace McMasters, Belle Vennigerholz, Pussy Hoskins, Corinne Shellabarger, Nellie Moore, Lyda Montgomery, Donna Buokingham. Maud Barnes, Chailie Downing, Eva Downing, Ada Haines, Grasie Ferguson, Bertha Rosch, Ella Gladish of Kansas City, Georgia Rettig of Kansas City, Ruby Angus of Peru, Ind., Myra Cain of Forrest, Ill., Allie Long of Danville, Ill., Elsie Bartholomew, Zella Ewing, Earle Bartholomew, Bruce Chenoweth, James Laux, Murray Millkin, Harvey Sedgwick, Guy Scoville, Ed Roe, Frank Heys, Milburn Hill, Will MoBride, Edgar Quinlan, Hallie Haomer, Fred Stoner, George Ennis, Willie, Hugh, Chan and Dan Rousam, Erskine Gryton, Willie Blackstone, Arthur Smith, Eddie Haines, Thordie Ewing, Robert Flasig of Kansas City, Harry Hurd of Evansville, Ind., Hiram Baress of Peru, Ind. ing their best wishes to the fair hostess

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors who were so kind during our late bereave ment, the loss of our little son.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN HAMMONS.

	Letter List.		
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Consumption.

Ballard's Horehound Syrap. No single disease has played and havon with the human race as Consumption. No other disease approaches so stealthly. It early symptoms are proceed because it is thought only a Cotd or hacking Congl, which is neglected until this grim monster has such a hold that nothing but death can relieve it. Hallard's Horehound Syrup has removed the grip of this grim monster from months from months. this grim monster from many a throat. If taken in time it will effect a permanent cure, and in the worst Rages it will give surprising relie! Try its soothing and healing virtues. Do not put it off until too late. Sold by John A. Swearingen, Druggist,

cratic manager, he says that the ing of the colored vote, which they do as

Why, we have three commissioners of the polls appointed by the governor—white men you know. I was a commiswhite men you know. I was a commissioner to count the vote last year. Well, I said to the boys: "We're gen'emen; we don't want to sit up all night countin' this damn nigger vote; now let's estimate it—just estimate." So we let the niggers vote, and we generally estimate our side about 200 ahead. How's that? Ha! ho!

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The BEST SALVE in the world for cute. pruises, sores, alcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eraptions, and postively ourse piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, Druggists.

VAN DYKE | New and hand-DRESS TRIMMINGS | some, just re-ceived at Linn & Sorrogs.

In Holland, Mich., O. J. Doesbury publishes the News, and in its columns strongly recommends Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for coughs, colds, sore throat, eatarth and asthma.

Homeseekers' Harvest Exentsions South, One-Half Rates, vin Illinois Central R. R.
Central R. R.
On April 22d, May 10th, Sept. 9th and 23d, and
Oct. 14th, 1800, the Hinnois Central Radroad will
sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round
trip to all stations on its line in Tennessee, Mississippi and Louislana, excepting Memphis and
New Orleans.

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Tuckers are limited to return within thirty days, and are good for stop-over privileges south of Catro, both (a.ung and returning. The following are the principal points where northern people are settling.

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Special Half-Rate Land Seekers' Excursions.

Excursions.

On April 22, May 20, Sept. 5 and 23 and Oct. 14 the Wabash Railway Company will sell special home seekers' excursion tickets to points in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Dakota, Idaho, Indian Territory, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Missussippi, Southwest Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, Tennessee, Tevas, Utah, Wyoming, Georgia, Florida and Kentucky, at the low rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be limited to thirty days from date of sale. Stop over will be granted. Solid trains consisting of elegant free reclining chair cars and Fullman Palace sleepers from Decaur to the Missouri river. For rates and particulars call on or address F. W. Greene, pascencer and ticket agent, Wabash, deput, Decaurt, iii. 224

named.
Don't fail to join one of these grand excursions via the popular Frisco Line.
Ask your ticket agent nearest your home to sell you tickets for these excursions via St. Louis and the "Frisco Line."
For further information regarding excursions, railroad and Gov't land, also select tracts of fine timbered land and

THE largest stock, greatest variety and handsomest goods can at all times be found at Line & Scrucce.

The Situation Probably Worse than Heretofore Reported. Citizens' Street Cars. [Springfield Journal, April 7.]

Capt. J. M. Adair arrived home from Olney at noon yesterday, and stated that he had taken special pains to observe the wheat fields along the way, and it is bis opinion that more than three-fourths of them show fully half the wheat killed Some of them show more. The captain said, from what he had seen, the person or newspaper representing the crop as eafe and promising, ought to be sued for damages. If the idea could be kept going that the crop is promising well, speculators could succeed in keeping down the present prices, whereas, if the facts are made known and admitted, the price

must advance. Another gentleman who has been brough Southern Illinois says field after field of winter wheat is being plowed up. and he is certain that less than half an average crop will be harvested. He says if he had 100,000 bushels of wheat he would not part with any of it at the present prices.

A STRANGE HISTORY.

Eventful Career of John R. Duffin, Who was Cremated Sunday,

t. Louis Glabe Democrat. John R. Duffin, who died at the Pius Hospital on Friday last, and whose body was cremated Sunday morning at the Missouri Crematory, was well known at Belleville, and seems from his own statements while there to have had a very eventful life. Duffin, whose real name was Hamlet Shakspeare Felton, was released from the Penitentiary at Chester, Ill., February 23, 1890, upon a pardon issued by Gov. Fifer, having been sentenced to that institution by the Circuit Court of St. Clair county April 6, 1883, for twelve years for forgery. Duffin made his appearance at Summerfield, a little town in the northeastern part of St. Clair county, in the fall of 1879, and secured work as a farm laborer. His intelligence and gentlemanly bearing soon gained him many friends in that locality, and it was not long till he began transacting legal business, making loans, etc., for a number of the wealthy and prominent furmers of Lebanon township. On April 1 1890, he secured a blank note at the First National Bank of Belleville, with whose officers he had become acquainted through acting as agent for the Summerfield farmers, and on April 12, 1880, he returned the note, signed by Mr. Jacob Schmitt as principal and Mesers. Wm. R. Padfield and Julius Winkler as sureties, and got \$4,000 on the note, which was drawn for \$4,106.70, payable in four months. The bank officials did not expect anything wrong in the matter until two weeks had passed, and then, upon Missouri Crematory, was well known at

expect anything wrong in the matter un-til two weeks had passed, and then, upon communicating with the parties whose names were on the note, they learned that the signatures were forgeries. In the meantime Duffin had fied, and though a large reward was offered for his con-

the meantime Duffin had fied, and though a large reward was offered for his capture, he was not apprehended till June, 1882, when he was accidentally met with in Decatur, Ill., by Mr. E. A. Winkler, of Summerfield, Ill., a son of Julius Winkler, one of the sureties on the note. He was at once agreeted and heavy the sureties. was at once arrested and brought to Belleville, where he was tried April 3, 1883, and sentenced, as stated, to twelve years in the Penitentiary at Chester, Ill. Duffin made a pathetic addresss to the Duffin made a patiente actiresse to the jury that convicted him, in which he said he was an orphan and was born under an English flag in Spanish waters, and had been adopted by one Randolph Duffin, who had him hantingd into the Cetholic who had him baptised into the Catholic

who had him baptised into the Catholic Church as John Randolph Duffin, although his real name he claims, was Hamlet Shakspeare Felton. He completed his collegiate education at Eton College, England, studied law at Harvard University and completed his level to the contract of the contra University and completed his law studies at Mary Ann's Oxford, England. He also

have been a member of Weiker's fillbustering expedition to Nicarauga. While in jail at Belleville, and also while in the Penitentiary, he wrote many poetic effusions to his friends here and to the press. That he was talented there was no doubt among those who came in contact with him, and he protested against his conviction for forgery, and claumed that he had obtained the signatures of the parties to the note by fraud, Gov. Fifer granted him pardon after he had spent nearly seven years of his twelveyear term, when it became evident that consumption, with which disease he had consumption, with which disease he had been suffering for some months, would soon end his days.

HOME-SEEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

Via Frisco Line Railway to all Points in of the Maiway to all Points in Missouri (beyond and including Springfield), Arkansas, Kansas, Indian Territory, Texas, Colorado, New Mexico, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho and Montana.

On April 22d, May 20th, September 9th and 23d and October 14th, 1890, the St. Louis and San Francisco Railway—Prisco Line—will sell excursion tickets from Union Depot, St. Louis, and from all stations in Illinois and Indiana, to all points in the States and Territories above named at rate of result.

points in the States and Territories above named, at rate of regular one way first-cless fare for the round trip.

Thekets limited 30 deys from date of sale, and stop-over privileges will be al-lowed on these tickets beyond St. Louis in either direction within final limit, re-gardless of transit limit, and can be exe-nted for return presents. ented for return passage by agents short of final destination if purchaser so de-

Any railroad coupon ticket agent in Illinois and Indiana can sell you these excursion tickets to points in the States and Territories above designated, via St. Louis and the Frisco Line and its con-nections.

The Frisco Line runs elegant reclining chair cars free of extra charge for these excursions from St. Louis double daily. These excursion trains via Frisco Lin leave Union Depot, St. Louie, at 8:25 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. on dates herein above

cureions, railroad and Gov't land, also select tracts of fine timbered land and cheap grazing land, ticket and freight rates, with Frisco map folder, time tables and illustrated books, etc., of the live towns on the "Frisco Line" ask your ticket agent, or apply in person or by letter to Geo. Lower, traveling agent "Rrisco Line," No. 252 North Water street, Decatur, Illinois.

WE guarantee our Rice Coil Spring Var guarance our Airs Coil Spring Vehicles to be the easiest riding made in the world. If after six weeks trial the Rice Coil Spring is not found to be the easiest riding spring you ever used, we will exchange for any other style.

Thu Sprenger & Lehman Co. m28-dawtf. m28-d&wtf

CARS RUNNING ON TIME. Schedule for the Movement of the

The Citizens' Electric Street Railway Company have prepared the following chedule for running their street cars:

Main Line—
Leave Oakland Park at 6 a. m.
Leave Union Depot at 6 a. m.
Leave Lincoln Square East at 6 a. m.
Leave Lincoln Square West at 6 a. m.
After the above time cars will leave each above points every 10 minutes until 11 p. m.
Water, Condit and Edmond Streets Line—
Leave east Edmond S. 440 a. m. Leave east, Edmond, 5:40 a. m. Leave Lincoln Square 6 a. m., making conn on with Main Line for Depot on West Mi treet.

After the above time cars will leave each of above points every 20 minutes until 11 p. m. These cars pass at McMillan's switch, North Water street, at 5:50 s. m. and every 20 minutes after Water Street-

Leave North End 5:45 a. m., Leave Lincoln Square 6 a. m., making connec-tion with Main Line for Depot or West Main St. After above time cars will leave each point every 30 minutes. East Eldorado Street-

Leave Rast Park Boulevards 6:30 a. m.
Leave Rast Park Boulevards 6:55 a m.
Leave Rast Park Boulevards every 1
minutes after until 11 p. m.
Vestibile Car—Special—
Depolips Running between Depot and Lincoln Sq An extra car will leave Lincoln Squar Depot at 11:30 p. m. The above time card can be depended upon

except in case of accidents or delay at Railroa CITIZENS' ELECTRIC STREET RAILWAY
COMPANY. A Word to the Wise.

A Word to the Wise.

E. C. DeHaven, the popular decorator, has returned to our city and is better prepared than ever before to furnish the people with wall paper and ceiling decorations. He will give you better saturaction than any other artist in the city. Call on him at 316 North Main street.

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Chilson's Dye House.

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R. W. Chilson has removed his Dye House from the south side of the City Park to 134 South State street, in the building lately occupied by the Despatch, where he has better facilities for doing all kinds of work in his line, and where he would be pleased to have his friends give him a call.

Paratana Pensions

For Pension and Notarial writing, and ill classes of War Claims, come up and se me. Third stairs west of Postoffice next to Irwin's Drug Store, C. R. SPORE, Pension Attorney.

ncandescent Electric Light for Dwellings.

The Decatur Electric company is pre-pared to wire, and furnish light in resi-dences on terms that compete with coal oil. Apply to R. J. Stratton, superin-tendent, or at office of Werren & Durfee, 124 North Water street. mar24 330d 124 North Water street. mar24 d30d

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Casteria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

Easter Eggs.

Every child wante an Easter eggs, and we have prepared to supply the county this year. Saxton & Andrews, Next door to postoffice. mar24-d&w2w

Wood Punes, Chain Pumps, Iron Force Pumps, for sale at Spencer & Lehnov5-dawit

Homeseekers' and Harvest Excursions West, at One-Half Rates, via Illinois Central R. R.

On April 22d, May 20th, September 9th and 23d, and October 14th, 1890, the Illinois Central Railroad will sell excursion tickets at One Fare for the round trip to all stations west of, and including Iowa Falls, Iowa, which embraces the following prominent points:

Webster Gity, In.
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Storm Lake, In.
Cherakee, In.
Sheddon, In.
Cherakee, In.
Sheddon, In.
Sheddon, In.
Tickets are limited to return within thirty days and are good for step-over privileges west of lows Falls, both going and returning.
Solid trains, consisting of elegant free reclining chair cars and Fullman palace sleepers, leave Chicago at 1:00 p. m. and 11:25 p. m., and run through to Slonk City without change.
For through tickets, rates, etc., apply to near-set Ticket Agent; for copy of pambillet descriptive of 'towns in Northwest lowa, entitled "Homes for Everybody," apply to "Eark Street, Chicago.

Gen.! Northern Pass. Agent, 195 Clark Street, Chicago.

Homesseekers' Excursions

Homeseekers Excursions.
The T. H. & P. R. Co. will sell tickets 150 miles west of Missouri river, on April 22d and May 20th, at One Fare for the round trip, to points in Southwest Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Texas, New Mexico, Wyoming, Golovado, Utah, Idaho, Mon tana and South Dakota. For tickets and turther information call on T. PENIWELL, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, 155 Merchant 8t., Decatur, Illhois.



This powder never varies. A marvel of purity strungth and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight aum or phosphate powders. Sold only in cans. HOYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 108 Wall St., N. Y.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.



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TRADE MARK THE GREAT TRADE MARK ENGLISH REMEASE.

ENOV. An unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Bpermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of self
BHORE TAKINA, abuse; as loss AFTER TAKINA, of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Druness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

EXP Full particulars in our pamphot, which

money, by addressing
THE GRAY MEDICINE CO., Buffalo, N. Y. On account of counterfelts, we have adopted the Yellow Wrapper, the only genuine. For sale in Decatur by King & Wood, 139 North Water St.

LOANS. Money to loan in any sums desired on city property or farms. Farm loans, 8 per cent. in-terest. Apply to ABL'ON Smick, Real Estate, Insurance and Loan Broker, 14 East Main Street, over Cloyd's grocery, jan18-day.

1 BOTTLE VS. 17 BOILS.

B. B. B. tones to natural action the glands whose function it is to collect and throw off impurities and waste matter, and it never fails to ourse even chronic disorders of the blood. Repeated tests with uniform success prove this fact "During ten years" suffering the test with the contract of the blood. Design the manner success prove this more "During ten years' suffering with eryspicals of took doctor's medicine and almost all kinds of patent medicines without benefit. Now, after having taken four bottles of B. B. B. I think myself entire'y cured. MRS. J. McNALLY, "Service, Pa."

When you find what you want it is always in the last place you look—for there you quit searching, R. B. B. ends the search for a perfect blood remedy. Try it first and you will look no further.

Specials for Easter. Easter occurs April 6th. As usual John Irwin has provided something new and striking in neck-wear for this event. The goods are so delicate in coloring and so dainty in material that they will provery tempting. Come early to the White front and select a scart from the ideal line of Easter goods. John Irwin, mar27-2w Manager

Sunday School Teachers oan find a choice line of Easter cards, eggs and novelties and, special prices made on large quantities, at Saxton & Andrews, next door to the postoffice.

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BROADWAY ST. SEWER.

C EALED BIDS—Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of the Broadway Street Bewer, with all man-holes, catch-bashin, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto in the city of Decaiur, in Macon county, lithnois; commencing at the brick culvert across North Broadway street, first south of Frairie street, in but fity feet south of the south line of Frairie street, insuling thence north on North Broadway street to the intersection of North Broadway street and Marietts street, as the same intersects on the west side of North Broadway street, thence west on Martents street to the intersection of Marietta street and warren street; thence north on Warren street to the intersection of Marietta street and the intersection of Marietta street and sawer; also, the east branch of said sewer, commencing and connecting with said main sewer at the intersection of North Broadway street and Sangamon street to the intersection of Sangamon street and Clinton street; thence east on Sangamon street to the intersection of Sangamon street to the intersection of Sangamon street and Clinton street; thence of Sangamon street and Horkimer street intended to the west branch of said sewer at the intersection of Warren street and Herkimer and rugh streets we Church is street, as is more fully described by an ordinance passed by the city council January 27th, 1900, providing for said sewer and the profile, plans and specifications now on file in the office of the city of Decatur, from the date hereof until 50 clock p. m., Wednesday, the 7th day of May, 1800, for the entire improvement, Including the lator, material, and all matters and things necessary for the said improvement. A sample of each kind of material to be used must be filed with the City Clerk. A good bond as required by ordinance, or a certified check in the sum of 8500, must accompany each bid. All bids received wi BROADWAY ST. SEWER

UNION STREET SEWER.

CEALED BIDS.—Public notice is hereby given by that the countract for the construction of Union Street Bewer, with all man-holes, catchesians, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, in the City of Decatur in Macon County, Illianis; commencing at a point on the south thereto, in the City of Decatur in Macon County, Illianis; commencing at a point on the south line of West Decatur Street, about eith; feet west of the southeast corner of Block 7 in Manfinan's Addition to the City of Decatur in said County and State, running thance slightly west of north to the south line of West Wood Bireet, thence to north or of culvert scross West Wood Bireet, first west of Church Bireet, thence north to the north line of West Main Sireet, thence north to the north line of West Main Sireet, thence north in the north line of West Prairie Bireet, to a point about 120 feet west of Church Street, thence slightly west of north to the north line of West William Street, to a point about 120 feet west of Church Street, thence slightly west of north to the north line of West William Street, to a point about 120 feet west of Church Street, thence west on West Cerro Gordo Street of the intersection of West Cerro Gordo Street and North Morroe Street, thence north on North Morroe Street to a point half way between Packard and Edmend Street; also a branch of said sewer connecting with the main sewer at the intersection of North Morroe Street and King Street, running thence east on King Street to North Church Street, as is more fully described by an ordinance passed by the City Council January 27th, 1890, providing for said sewer, and the profile, plans and specifications now on file in the office of the City Clerk. The contract will be let to the lowest responsible builder. Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk in said City of Decatur, from the date hereof mult 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday the 7th day of May, 1890, for the entire improvement, including the labor, material and all matters and thing UNION STREET SEWER.

Persons desiring a copy of specifications or other information can obtain same from the City Clerk.

JASPER STREET SEWER.

SEALED BIDS—Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of the Jasper street sewer, with all man holes, eated balsims, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, illinois; connencing at a point about 20 feet east of the culvert under the fill on the right of way of the 1. C. R. Co., about 400 feet south of William street, running thence northeasterly to the shout fill feet east of the east line of Hillino street to a point about 75 feet east of the east line of Hillino street; thence continuing northeasterly to the alley between East William street and East North street to a point about 25 feet west of Cathoun street; thence cast on said alley to a point about 25 feet west of the west line of Hillinois street; thence northeasterly to the intersection of Bast North street to the intersection of East North street to the intersection of East North street and Jasper street; thence north on Jasper street to the north line of Hilcinois street; and saper street to the north line of Hilcinois street; and specifications now on file in the office of the City Clerk. The contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder. Sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk, in said city of Decatur, from the date hereof until 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, the 7th day of May, 1899, for the entire improvement, a sample of each kind of material to be used must be filled with the City Clerk. A good bald in the sum of \$600.65, must accompany each bid. All bids received will be submitted to the City Council, to be opened at its next regular meeting thereof after May 17th, 1890. The right to reject any or all proposals or bids or any part thereof, including the cashving a copy of specifications or other information can obtain same from City Clerk. JASPER STREET SEWER

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and all matters and things necessary and many many improvement.

A sample of each kind of material to be used must be filed with the City Clerk. A good bond as required by ordinance, or a certified check in the sam of \$200, must accompany each bid. All bids received will be submitted to the city council, to be opened at its next regular meeting thereof after May 7th, 1890. The right to reject any and all proposals or bids, or any part thereof, is hereby reserved.

Decatur, Illinois, March 28, A. D., 1890.

P. C. BETZER, City Clerk

THE B. STINE CLOTHING CO.,

NO. 8

Successor to B. STINE, the Boss Clothier.

OUR advertisements are brief but convincing. Such stocks as we carry need no blow and bluster, no fuss and feathers to back them up.

Now on sale is a general line of SPRING CLOTHING, but we would direct your attention especially to our new arrivals of Boys' AND CHIL-DREN'S SUITS, of both foreign and domestic material. Exclusive styles, that is to say, styles controlled by ourselves, the product of the most extensive manufacturers in the world in Boys' Wear. They're novelties radically different from anything we've ever before shown, and you all know us to be the undisputed Leaders in Boys' Clothing.

Our prices are right, we guarantee

THE B. STINE CLOTHING CO.

TO CLOSE OUT ++This Week.++

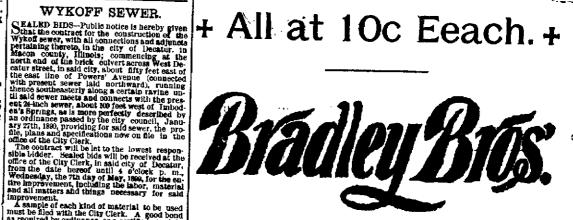
140 DOZEN

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DECATUR, TELENOIS. Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, see and a sas mail matter.

WEDNE DAY EVE., APRIL 9, 1890. Reserva advices report that the Czar has recovered from his recent illness.

HON, SAMUEL J. RANDALL, who has had another relapse which discouraged his family and convinced his wife that there was no hope for his recovery, is reported parents and friends of the pupils. Each again out of immediate danger.

THE closest friends of Andrew Carnegre deny the rumor that he is to succeed to the presidency of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. They say that the idea is preposterous that he would relinquish . a business of fifty milhons a year to engage in the management of a railroad.

THE New York Produce Exchange did an immense business yesterday in wheat. the option sales up to noon amounting to over twelve millions of husbels. There was only a change of 14 of a cent per bushel, but a feverish feeling prevailed and the crowd were reported as covering

IT is said that Mayor Cregier, of Chi-Harrison in that memorable campaign. Death of Marcus C. Stearns.

Marcus C. Stearns, the aged Chicago effects of his pis of shot wounds. He was nearly 74 years of age, and had resided in Chicago since 1836, closely identified with its business interests.

THE mumero I electrons in Michigan on Monday resulted in n as y sweeping republican victories. The democraticgreenback fusion ticket won at Grand Rapids, and the democrats were success. ful at several other points. In Indiana. the Indianapolis democrate overcame : former republican insjority of 1,400 and scored a victory. The republicans won at Brazil, Warsaw, Greencastle and elsewhere. The democratic successes were mostly in the smaller towns, GEN. DAN SICKLES' second official act

as sheriff of New York, was to take into custody his predecessor in office, ex-Sheriff Flack, his son, Meeks, their lawyer tool, and Choate, the reporter, who had been deserted by his paper. The exsheriff was sentenced to two months in the tombs and to pay \$500 fine, his son \$500 line, Meeks to one mouth in the tom's and \$500 fine, and Choate to one month in Lud'ow street jail and \$250 fine. All the jails would be full if justwo was properly metal out to guilty

EX-UNITED STATES SENATOR WALLACE who is ahead of all competitors in the race for the Democrati: romanat on for Governor of Pennsylvaria, has been a magnate of the party in his State for a third of century and over. The chief interest, however, which his present preference by the party has as its revelation of the fact that Hill has supplanted Cleveland in the affections of the Democrats of Pennsyl vanis. If Wallace ge s the nomination at will mean that David B. Hill is reasonably sure of the delegates of at least two States at the Democratic National Convention in 1892 Penn-ylvania and New

The net sh in the treasury amounts now to about \$43,000,000, or \$15,000,000 Jones less than it was when the Democrats mat of power, a little over a veni ago. The surplus is lower than it was then to this extent, and business interests have recovered from the dread of currency contraction which they were laboring under in Damocratic days. An intelligent policy of bond redemption and a sensible management of the finances generally, have produced the change. In constructive statesmanship the Republicans have never had any equals, except among the Federalists who ran the country during the first dozen years of its history under the con-

Spainofigur News It is said that an association of southern congressmen have written a book on the "cooperative plan," assuming to show ' " ' ' so south is solid" for the Democracy. One of the stock arguments in it is that the South is solid because the reconstruction obligy of President Lincoln was not followed out. The absurdity of this prets. shown in the fact that Mr. Lincoln was murdered by a champion of the solid south and in its interest, besides if Lincoln was an uncompromising a vocate of justice for all classes of cit , in regardless of race, color or previous , ;; dition of servitude a principle against which the solid south has always be n uncompromisingly arrayed. It is ton that the death of Lincoln was a calam ity to the South for the same reason the it was a calamity to the whole country

but it was just such an event as the lead-ers of the South had been seeking for four years to bring about, and which their policy tended to inspire. The "solid south" exists to-day for the same reason that it was solid for treason and rebeilion from 1861 to 1865, and it is kept "solid" by the same fraudulent and ouliwas maintained during the t period. Merit Wies.

We desire to say to a reitizens, that for years we have been selling Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that here grayer and. or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remed ee have won their great popularity purely on their ments. For sale by King & Wood, Druggists.

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Special to the REPUBLICAN. CHICAGO, April 9, 1:30 p. m.

Dan Cough and James Dahoney, two Chicago pugilists, fought a bloody battle this morning near Shelby, Indiana. After filty-four rounds of hard fighting the contest was declared a draw, Cough practically the victor.

Pupils' Recital.

The parlors of the Decatur College of Music were well filled last evening by the as having ralited aga n yesterday and is number of the carefully prepared program was rendered in an admirable manner, reflecting credit both on the pupil and on the teacher. Those who took part n the exercises were Misses Myrtle Wheeler, Ella Clarkson, Bessie Young, Nellie Gher, Lottie Hawes, Grace Hamher, Ada Pritchett, Francis Kraiger, Mattie Bennett, Emma Pahmeyer, Hatde Miller, Emma Yantes, Lulu Beall, Maude Evans, Maude Evans, Mande McCune, Maude Leffingwell, Mise Brown, Miss Adams, Miss Radeliff, Mrs. O. F. Spaulding and W. A. Boetteger.

JOHN H. ULLRICH is now a full-fledged veterinary surgeon, having recently graduated with high honors from the Ontario Veterinary College at Toronto. He was one of a class of 160, and John rage, is quietly seiting his pies to see in the contest for prizes stood first in care his nomination for governor. Gen. chemistry, first in materia medica, first Palmer will, no doubt, pronounce him "a in morbid anatomy, eacond in physiology, great demagogue," as he did Carter Har- second in anatomy and second in patholsison under like circumstances. Oregier logy. On the general examination he was would do well to remember the fate of swarded a gold medal. He has come home with his valued diploms. He may ecome a regular practitioner.

JIMMIE BLYTHE celebrated his twelveth nillionaire who attempted snielde on birthday Tuesday evening by a party Saturday last, died yesterday from the to his little friends. They had a merry time with music and games until 9 o'clock, when they hade him good night wishing him many happy returns of the day. He received a number of presents Those present were the Misses Jessie Nickolls, Pearl Shaloff, Nellie Pinkerton, Josie Rike, Mabel Darby, Fleta Brett, Mabel Carson and Leota Swearinger. Masters Ford Clark Ralph Conklin. Harry Colliday, Wilber Corman, Carl Depew, Dick Jones, Walter Shepard, and Mortie Blythe. Regrets were recerved from Misses Mary Sterrett and Vinnie Bryan.

THE failure of Sackrieter & Ormsby, lothing dealers at Monticello, has excited public interest to a great degree, as this is the largest failure in Piatt county for several years. The habilities are placed at \$16,000. The larger part is due Cincinnati and Chicago firms. The assets will fall short of settling the indebtedness by several thousand dollars. Both parties have turned over their ento four months in the penitentiary and tire property to the creditors. The failure is attr.buted to the warm winter and general depression of trade. THERE IS frequently a difficulty exper-

senced by families and relations to decide on the sort of a wedding present they should make, but the oddest thing of the kind reported is that of a wedding at Lancaster, Pa., where the bride's father donated a deed to a cemetery lot to the happy couple. A cheerful sort of present, truly, but probably it was about all the legacy the old man had to bestow on his son, and, like Toodles gift, "it might come handy to have in the family."

THE seven-year-old son of Mr. Win shell, of 830 North College street, while playing around a merry-go-round, which is being built near his home, caught his left hand in the cogs of one of the gearing wheels and broke two bones of his hand, besides badly crushing his entire hand. He was so badly injured that it was necessary to emmuon Dr. H. O.

THE miners of Danville and Tiltor who have heretofore remained ontaids of all unions, last evening organized a branch lodge of the Mutual Mine-Workers of North America. There were 205 charter members. The lodge will be connected with the American Federation of

YESTERDAY afternoon Mrs. Orawford. charged with assaulting two children took a change of venue from Provost to 'Squire Foster's court, and after an exenting trial and prolonged speeches by Buckingham for the defendant and Mc-Donald for the ϵnv , the woman was acquitted, much to the disgust of the parents of the children.

THE only reliable vegetable substitute for calomel, which acts on the liver, blood, kidneys and stomach, and best anti bilious purgative is Maguire's Cundurango. Indorsed by Archbishop Ryan, of Phila-delphus; Rev. McNally, of St. Louis, and a host of prominent people.

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GENERAL NEWS.

A Tennessee Colonel Declines to Fight a Duel.

WENT OFF WITH THE BANK'S CASH.

Fire Among the Kentucy Racers-Failure of the Manhattan (Kan.) Bank -A Thirty-Thousand-Dollar Steal, Etc., Etc.,

Fire Among the Kentucky Recers. NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 8 - A spo-Ky., says: At twenty minutes to ten o'olock last night a row of frame buildings adjoining the Kentucky Association's grounds took fire. The wind blow a gale, carrying the sparks to the stables of the association, setting them on fire. They were full of herses, but by the heroic work of the stable hands all the racers were saved. At this hour (half-past ten o'clock) the fire is still fiercely raging. Owing to the lack of water two or three stables may go. Ten farm houses and two houses so far have been consumed. The greatest confusion prevails. Horses worth fortunes are dashing through the streets or jumping high fences in their wild flight scross the country. At this writing it is impossible to even approximate the less. It siresily amounts to thousands. The association will be badly orippied.

LATER. At 11.40 p. m. the fire was gotten under control Nine frame houses and two stables are destroyed. Loss on houses. \$4,500, on stables about \$1,600. Insurance not known. Of course the loss on the race horses will not be known for several days. The Associaaccommodate the many horses that will be here to race at the coming spring meeting. An effort will be made, however, to rebuild at once those burned last night.

A Challenge Declined.

NASHVILLE, Tenn, April 9 .-- Colonel John M. Flenang, editor of the Knoxville Daily Sentinel, has received a challenge from James Phelan, owner of the Memphis Daily Avalanche and Representative in Congress from the Tenth district of Tennessee. Editor Fleming has refused to except the challenge and exactly what further steps, if any, Congressman Phelan may talt are not known. Editor Fleming, Instead of sending his acknowledgment of the receipt of the communication by wire, by which agency it was transmitted to him. yesterday published it in the Sentinel, and last night it was the principal theme of conversation. Mr. Phelan's challenge came by telegraph from Washington last Sunday Editor Fleming in his reply says that in times past the men who have specially commanded his admiration were those who had the courage to treat with contempt the demand of the duelist, while recognizing and insisting on the manly right of selfdefence

The trouble between the two men was occasioned by a book Mr Phelan wrote, a school history of Tennessee, which was commented upon in strong language by Editor Floming in the Went Off With the Bank s Cash.

Worcesten, Mass, April 9.-it was discovered, yesterday afternoon, that Frederick Kimball, teller of the Peoples' Savings Bank of this city, who went away on Wednesday last on a sentative holds over, but there are resentative holds over, but there are rehim about \$50,000 in first-class securi-ties belonging to the bank. It is not yet known whether Kimball is also a the last day on which an election can a defaulter, as the bank examiner only arrived in the city last evening A letter was received by Mrs. Kimball from Montreal, Can, yesterday, which had been sent by Kimball to the postmas-ter at Montreal to be re-mailed by him to Worcester The postmaster indersed this fact on the envelope, thus spoiling need eight to accomplish the same re-Kimball's scheme to obtain a good start on the officers who are on his track Kimbail is a powerful young man, athletic, and a dog fancior, his St. Bernard dogs taking prizes at all dog shows. The bank has assets of ove

\$5,000,000 and will not be affected. Failure of the Manhattan (Kan.) Bank. MANHATTAN, Kan., April 9 .- The Manhattan Bank, one of the stronges institutions in Eastern Kansas, failed yesterday morning E. H. Purcell, director of the Atchison. Topeka & Santa Fe road, and one of the most substantial business men of the State, is principal stockholder. John W. Webb, the cashier, was appointed tem-porary assignee. The failure is said to save been precipitated by the British Land and Mortgage Company, which yesterday advertised a public sale of collateral because Purcell refused to pay his written obligation to the company for \$20,000, due in April. The liabilitles of the bank are nearly \$000,000, and are understood to far exceed the assets. A numbe, of Manhattan business men will suffer from the failure No statement has yet been made as to the exact condition of things

A Thirty Thousand Dollar Steal. PHILADELPHIA, April 9 -A special to the Leader from Doylostown, Pa., says: James Monroe Shellenberger, one of the best known men in Bucks County has disappeared, and that he is about \$30,000 short in his accounts with various estates of which he had charge. He was last heard of at Atlantic City on Sunday Mr Shellenberger was a member of the State Board of Charitles and chairman of the county Democratic standing committee.

A Loud Voice Stilled. Pronia, Ill., April 9.—Andrew J. Wallace, better known as "Whispering" Andy Wallace," on account of his loud voice, and well known in this city, was yesterday shot and instantly killed by lames Connell, a tenant of one of his farms The tragedy occurred about three miles north of Delevan. Particulars are meager, as there were no wit-

A Destructive Cyclone at Morwalk, O. CLEVELAND, O., April 9 .- A cyclone struck Norwalk, O., about five o'clock resterday afternoon. The storm came from the Northwest, and swept a track about half a mile wide from the eastern limits of the city, quite a long distance nto the country.

STORM SWEPT.

The umbrella factory of Sprague & French was in the path of the cyclone. a part of the building, in which about several thousand dollars. thirty young women were employed was crushed like an egg-shell. Many of the girls escaped, but others were caught in the failing building.

Dora Palmer, aged nineteen, received fatal injuries and died in a short time. Her skull was crushed. Nellie Harding was seriously injured

about the head and upper part of the body.
Miss Brush had her collar-bone broken, and was otherwise injured.

Several other girls, whose names can not be learned, received injuries. other small buildings were wrecked Trees were uprooted and fences torn down in all directions. The force of the wind was unprecedented in this

At seven o'clock last evening another terrific atorm visited, the city, the wind blowing and hall-stones as large as hickory nuts failing, smashing windows and demolishing green-houses.

A despatch from Collins, O., a few miles from Norwalk, says: A very beavy and serious cyclone passed through this place at five o'clock yes terday afternoon. Between fifteen and twenty buildings, mostly dwellings were completely wrecked and several people were injured Mr. Houff and daughter were seriously hurt. There is terrible excitement throughout the The Cyclone at Prophetstown.

PROPHETSTOWN, Ill., April 9.-The Syclone which struck this village Monday night wrecked a large amount of property and injured a number of peo-ple. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy lepot was moved from its foundation and the large elevator near by was destroyed. Cars were blown from the track, one being sent through a split witch three miles with brakes set. Several houses were blown down. The most seriously hurt were: Mrs. Ed Hammond, collar bone broken

and internal injuries. Clark Roynolds, bruised. Mrs Clark Reynolds, bruised and cut Kate Reynolds, severely bruised and hurt internally.

The Storm at Burlington, MINNEAPOLIS, Minn , April 9.—A special to the Tribune from Burlington, Ia., sava:

A heavy hail storm passed over this section of the county last evening, do-ing considerable damage to fruit trees. Reports say stones as large as hen's eggs fell at some places, smashing windows and conservatory roofs.

Heavy Rain at Oberlin. CLEVELAND, O., April 9.—A heavy vain storm visited Oberlin, O., last night, flooding cellars of business houses on College street to a depth of four feet. The water rose rapidly in Plumb creek, and people on the flats expect to be compeled to leave their

The Rhode Island Election

PROVIDENCE, R. L., April 8 - Cranston and Jamestown elected Republican Repshort vacation for his health, took with ports from both towns that an endeavor will be made to hold another town meeting before midnight, to-day being be held outside of this city. If the sitting Representative holds over the Legislature will stand, Republicans, 52; Democrats, 47, with nine to be elected from Providedce. The Repulicans will then need to elect three to control the grand committee, while the Democrats

A Democratic Victory.

ALBANY, N. V. April 9 — James H. Manning (Dem) was elected mayor yesterday by 7.245 majority over H. N. Fuller (Rep) The Democrats have a large majority in the Board of Aldermen and Supervisors.

Passed the Australian Bailot Bill. DES MOINES, Ia., April 9.—The Iowa House of Representatives yesterday passed the Australian Ballot bill by a vote of 86 to 9.

An Awful Revelation

WILKESBARRE, Pa, April 9 — John Gregory, a miner, living a few miles from here is on his death-red. While delirious Monday he told the story of terrible murder committed twenty years ago. A miner by the name of Keating mysteriously disappeared at the time referred to, and no trace of him could be found. The story now told by the dying man is that Keating was met on his way home and was murdered, and his body thrown into a well on Gregory' lot and the well filled with sand Gregory implicates a man who still lives near here. The well was visited yesterday and was found to be full of sand. , A further investigation will be

Williams' Australian Herb Pills. If you are yellow, billoue, constituted, with headache, bad breath, drowsy, no appetite, look out, your liver is out of order. One box of these Pills will drive order. One box of these Pills will drive all the trouble away and make a new being of you. Price, 25 cents. John A. Swearingen, agent.

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Excursion to Springfield. To those desiring to a tend the services at the tomb of Lincoln on the occasion of the 25th an nome of Lincoin of the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the his death, April 15th, the Wabash R R Co. will sell round trip t ckets at one
and one-third fare on April 15th, good returning
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TELEGRAPHIC TRIFLES.

down, but no lives were lost

The French steamer Panama, which went ashore on Long Island last week while on her way from Bordeaux to Now York got off Monday night without assistance and

—The Chicago cigar-makers settled one of their grievanose, yesterday, when the Phos-nix Cigar Company took back all of its old

men, about sixty in number, and agreed hereafter to employ none but union men.

allowing the company to make a contract to

The Mathodists and the Freedman.

offered for adoption this resolution:

titled to education to the fullest moral and

tional and received from Congress and

from religious and philanthropic

sources, illiteracy is increasing at the

South, and that the school demand can

The resolution calls on Congressmen

not be met by her resources.

States Senator Evarts.

of the Government.

from him Also censuring him for hav-

Murdered by an Insane Man.

Pritchard, a nucce of Mrs. Texter, said:

"She said "yes," and then he said:
"You must die," and drawing a revol-

ver fired at her, killing her instantly.

He then shot himself. file is alive, but will probably die. The feeling against

Williams is so great that it is safe to say

he would not have lived an hour had he

not shot himself Miss Pritchard was

one of the leading young society belles

of this village, and a favorite The

cause of the tragedy is not known, ex-

Will Join the National Miners' Associ-

TYRONE, Pa, April 0.-Three thou-

sand miners in the Hostzdale district

met in mass-meeting Monday and de-

cided to join the United Miners' Associ-

ation in a body They assessed them-selves three cents per month a man

for the purpose of creating a National defense fund for maintaining one Na-

At Phillipsburg, yesterday afternoon,

twenty-five hundred met in mass-meet-

ing and took the same action. The per

capita tax collected from the miners

The first action of the new organiza

tion will be the introduction of a uni-

form wage scale for dead work, which.

if adopted, means a material increase

The Plumbers' Strike Ended.

CHICAGO, April 8.—The strike of the

ourneymen plumbers was settled this

afternoon, and work will be resumed to-

morrow. By the terms of the agree

ment the journeymen will get \$8.50 per

day as the minimum wages, while the juniors get an advance of twenty-five

cents a day. The agreement is to last two years, and all future disputes are to

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

be settled by arbitration.

in the cost of coal to many operators.

will amount to \$125,000 annually.

cept it be due to insanity.

nonal organization.

and addressing

"Are you Maggie Pritchard?"

New York, April 9 -The last day's

reached her dock yesterday morning.

Washington, April 9.—The Secre tary of the Treasury yesterday directed -Geo. K. Sastare & Sons, of New York, that additional force be sent the col--Hon. Edmund L. Judson, ex-mayor of Albany, N. Y, died yesterday morning, aged lector at Santiago, Cal., to assist him in preventing Chinese from coming in at that point. The Collector has already -Marcus C Sterns, the old resident of Chlorgo who attempted suicide Saturday by shooting binself, died yesterday at 11 80 arrested thirteen Chinese who attempted to cross the border of Mexico. The Chinese came over with seventy-four other Chinamen from Pekin, who trans--A cyclone passed over the northern part of Charlotte, Mich., about four o'clock yes-terday morning, doing damage smounting ferred in the bay at San Francisco and landed at a point in Lower California, which is under Mexican jurisdiction —The Chicago plumbers' strike was prac-tically settled, yesterday morning, at a con-forence between committees of the union plumbers and the master plumbers. These Chinamen worked their way up and are now, under cover of night, trying to enter the United States Assist--The Cayuga Wool Manufacturing Com-pany of Auburn, N. Y. is in the hands of a receiver because of the fallure of R. Town-send & Co., who handled their products ant Secretary Tichner says that the Chinese are by every pretext endeavor-ing to get into this country from British -Charles H Dixson, ex-deputy treasure America on the North, and from Mexico of Saginaw County, Mich., was sentenced on the South, and under cover of law as Monday, to five years imprisonment at hard labor for embezziement of funds of the merchants, etc., and that the utmo. exertion on the part of the Government —A cyclone passed through Battle Creek, Mich., Monday night, leveling buildings, fences, etc. The summer cottages at Cognac Lake, two miles south, were blown can hardly prevent some of them from smuggling themselves into this coun-

The Invading Chinamen

CAPITAL CHAT.

-The Treasury Department yesterday purchased \$4,550 four per cent, bonds at 122 and \$4,000 four and a half per cent bonds at

The House committee on judiciary com-pleted its consideration of the Nationa Bankruptcy bill yesterday and ordered it to be reported favorably

A bill to provide for the ratification of s boundary agreement between the States of New York and Pennsylvania was yesterday ordered to be reported favorably.

...Thirty cases of trichinosis have been re-ported to the health authorities of Aurora, III The disense started in the family of Au-gust Dittman. Six of the cases reported re-sulted from the eating of bologna sausage. -Mr. Randall's family say that he is not ! The cases against Dr. Harrison Wagner, for his libelous suits against the Adams Express Company, came up before the Circuit Court of Blafford County, at Fredericksburg, Ya., Monday Judge Barton dismissed the civil cases, and Wagner's counsel have filed a plea of insanity in the orininal cases. critical condition, as has been reported and is better than he was last week.

—Secretary Tracy yesterday approved the findings of the court-martial in the case of Commander J. B. Coughlin, recently of the United States ship Michigan. The finding was a Scotch verdict of not "proven" -At the meeting of the New York Board of Electrical Control yesterday the Standard Electric Lighting Company withdrew its offer to build the remaining forty miles of electric power and light subways in that city, and the board repealed its resolution —A favorable report has been ordered on the bill amending the internal-revenue laws. The bill abolishes provisions for minimum punishments for violations of the revent

laws, and gives to judges discretion to im-

THE ingenious devices resorted to to get a postoffice are worthy of being persession of the New York Mathodist petuated in the patent office. Some time Episcopal Conference began yesterday morning. Rev. James S. Chadwick, corago there came from a western city to Washington a formidable petition against responding secretary of the Freedmen's the appointment of a certain individual Aid and Southern Educational Society, as postmaster. It was signed with : Resolved, The colored race in the South, with their inherited tendencies of superstition and the long, dreary history of ignorance, thriftlessness and slavery are enlong list of names, alleged to be those of prominent citizens. The matter was investigated and all the names were found to be fictitious. One individual, who intellectual development, first, as human beings with individual responsibility and immortal souls for whom Christ died; and second, as citizens and voters in a repre-sentative Republic. wanted the postoffice very much, had evolved the whole brilliant scheme, names and all, out of his imagination. If that man had turned his distinguished talents to story writing in early life, they The resolution goes on to say that dewould have made a mint of money for snite the efforts of the South and educahim by this time.

Notice.

Having sold my eight store and factory to my son, Harry Osmers, I desire to thank all my patrons for the generous The resolution calls on Congressmen favors shown me during the peat. I to take promptly such steps as their also wish to commend them to the new constitutional powers would permit and firm and solicit a continuance of their their wisdom suggest to continue to all patronage. All accounts owing to me such States as would accept the Na. must be paid to Harry Osmers, who will tional aid to which the Northern and continue the business at the old stand. John Osmens.

Western States have been so largely indebted during the past century in the In assuming possession of the Osmers cigar factory I wish to inform the smokers of Decatur that I will continue to founding and maintaining of common schools, and in onlightening and stimumanufacture the reliable brands as here-tofore: "Inttle Dixie," "White Cross" and "King" for five cent cigars, and the "Puritan," a ten-cent smoker. Having lating the educational spirit of the States. It was decided to send the res olutions, which were adopted, to United had the management of the factory for several years. I know the material of which these brands are composed and A supplementary report on the amusements of the present day denouncing card-playing and theaters, was adopted. guarantee that their high standard shall The resolution adopted by the conferbe muintained. Solienting your patronence in 1888 was adopted in regard to age, I am, Resp'y, Harry Osmers. the liquor question. It opposes license or other regulation of the liquor traffic

Spring School.

and declares that prohibition is a duty Those who are expecting to pursue either a business or a short-hand and Rev. C. McPherson, of Peekskill, was type-writing course at Brown's Decatur Business College will find the present a favorable time to enroll. Classes for the consured for making a contract with his father to pay the latter \$100 a year if he spring and summer months are being or-ganized. For full particulars as to branches taught, tuition rates, etc., call at the college office, Labrary block, corner William and Main streets, or address the would remain one hundred miles away ing failed to keep the contract. The old gentleman was complainant in the G. W. Brown apr1-d6

MEDFORD, Wis., April 9—A man
THE childrens eyes are made glad,
named Willard Williams, nicknamed feasting on the many Easter novelties in "Crazy Kelly," went to the house of Judge Clinton Texter, of this city, yes. next door to the postoffice.

> Carpets, Curtains, Wall Paper and Matting. All new in style and cheap in price at Abel's Carpet House apr2-d&wtf Carpet House These is more catarril in this section of

the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years it was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it great many years doctors pronounced to a local disease, and prescribed local rem-eches, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced to m-curable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore of a constitutional disease, and decretore
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Chicago Grain Market. The following were the closing quota tions in Ohoseo at 1:15 p. m. to-day, re-ceived by B. Z. Taylor, Secretary Decatur Gram Co.: WHEAT—85% May; 81½ July.
CORE—31½ April;31¾ May; 32¾ July.
OATS—— April; 23¾ May; 23¾ July.
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Land-\$612 Apr; \$6.17 May; \$630 пу. Киве—\$5 17 April; \$5.17 May; \$5,30

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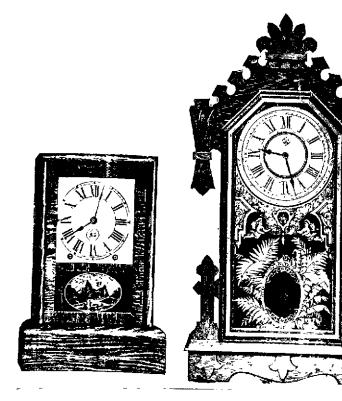
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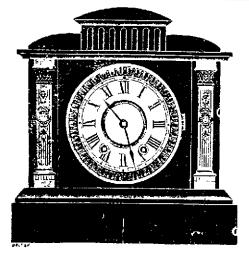
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WF are authorized to announce HENRY MET: a candidate for re-election to the office of Iderman for the Fourth Ward,

WEDNESDAY EVE., APRIL 9, 1890.

LOCAL NEWS.

Don't fail to examine the mammoth

Hater" Friday night.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co. SEATS are selling for Roland Reed, in 'The Woman Hater," for Friday night. The pension examining board held its egular meeting to-day.

THE Argenta school of which J. S. Kellar is principal, will close on Friday

SELECT the Snow Flake flour. It is

the mercury at 63 at 6 a.m. This morn-If you enjoy a fine comedy don't miss seeing Roland Reed in "The Woman

ONE dozen French patterns hats arrived at The Style this morning, and will be on exhibition until Saturday. 9-4t.

Fiji bananas upside down, large and delicious, on sale at Dell Harris' candy store—a dozen for a quarter.

THE Grand Opera House cigure, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town-mar25-dtf

The motor and trolley men on the Cit ens' electric street car line look quite tony in their handsome blue suits. The new uniforms with the new cars give Decator the appearance of a city with

Order the popular White Foam flour. It never fails to produce good bread, ROLAND REED Friday night in "The

Woman Hater." Don't miss this fine RESULAR meeting of the Sons of Vet-

erans' Camp Thursday night at the Grand Army Post hall. All members are urged

You can get anything wanted for the table at Hanks & Patterson's complete

An elegant line of Haines, Everett and Sterling plance in beautiful muhogany and walnut cases, has just been received

Step in at Dan Chamberlain's photograph gallery and good pictures.

THERE is only one attraction at the Grand opera house this week, and that

THE best of California fruits, choice country produce and fresh eggs, at Moore

THE Abraham Lincoln Republican Club will meet at the hand hall Friday evening at 8 o'clock, on business of importunce. By order of J. W. Woodford. Adolph Lalloz, carriage manufacturer, 119 Carroll street, N. Y., states: I was troubled with nauses of the stomach, sick headache and general debility. Bur-

dock Blood Bitters cured me. At the temperance meeting held at the Christian church last night D. L. Bunn presided and Rev. George E. Scrimger and Elder Hawes spoke at length against the evils of intemperance. The next meeting will be held at Stapp's Chapel Thursday night, when Rev. Sophie Gibb

John Young, at the Republican office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter, the most perfect machine made, the favorite with all ex-

pert operators who desire quick work and THE place to get good groceries and excellent Vienna bread is at J. Lytle &

Co's store on North Water street, THE poem, "Enoch Arden," allows for some of the most elaborate and artistic scenery ever employed to grace a producon, and no expense or labor has been spared to make this department one of

seen on the stage. EVERY horse owner who is wise should hump himself and advertise his good sense by using Veterinary Carbolisalve the only reliable remedy for gore throat, swollen glands, stiff and intiamed joints. galls, cuts, bruises, mange, strains and

the most beautiful and splendid ever

HEAR Sydney Rosenfield's great topical parody, "It was a Dream," and other new musical numbers in "The Woman Hater" Friday night.

"Enoch Arden" Dramatized. On Monday night Mr. Newton Beers the well-known actor, will give to the public his lyric and scenic production of Tennyson's master poem. Mr. Beers has gone to an enormous expense in the pro-duction of this grand musical drama, and the seal by the press in general, but especially by the New Orleans journals, that his "Enoch Arden" surpasses the expectations of those who witnessed the play. The scenery, consisting of fifteen magnificent views, is said to be the finest ever stages. Quaint Cornish dances and delightful old Cornish airs are inter-spersed throughout the play, making it altogether a most enjoyable entertain-

Ir your cough keeps you awake and restless by night, take Ayer's CherryPectoral and obtain immediate relief. This remedy allays inflamation, heals the pulmonary organs, induces sleep and restores health. The sooner you begin the

Married at Taylorville. Charles F. Shilling, the popular east out druggiet, was joined in wedlock this morning at 9 o'clock to Miss Lucie Shaw, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. S. V. Shaw, at the home of the bride's parents in Taylorville. The couple passed through the city this morning at 11 o'clock en route to Grand Rapids and other points in Michigan, on their bridal

him duplicate dynamos, and in consetour. They will visit Chicago, and after a short stay in that city, will return to Decatur and be "at home" to their friends at 904 North Main street after May 1st. The groom recently built himself a handsome cottage at the above number, and has furnished it throughout, everything being in readiness to commence housekeeping upon their return. The Repub-JOAN joins with their many friends in extending its best wishes and hoping that they may enjoy long life and happi-

A Vain Search.

Coroner Bendure is in receipt of a let er of inquiry from John Kreisser, of 403 Sutter street, San Francisco, Cal., who eeks to learn the particulars of the death of one Ignaz August Berger, who met a violent death some time in the year 1885. The writer had been led to elieve that a man named Berger had died near Decatur and that an inquest had been held on the body. The records fail to show that an incuest had been held on the body of any man of that name in this county, either in 1885 or any other year. Coroner Bendure searched the records today. It is noted in the letter that Berger had on his person a quantity of Austrian Lottery Bonds, and Mr. Kreisser offers to pay five dollars for all the papers found in possession of the deceased. It is barely possible that the man died in some other county in Cen-

Bought 17,000 Acres. Mr. Bert Emerson, of Danville, son of the late Judge Emerson, is a guest at the St. Nicholas. Attorney Emerson has but lately returned from a stay of two months in Kentucky and Tennesse whither he went on a mission involving the expenditure of \$30,000 or \$40,000 for Chicago parties. He went south to buy timber land along the Green river, and before he left he had secured 17,000 acres of land growing the finest oak, pine and hickory timber to be seen anywhere in in the south. The Chicago owners will send hundreds of men south and out the timber, to be placed on the market in the shape of manufactured articles. Mr Emerson related many interesting inci dents and personal experiences of his stay in the south. He succeeded where other shrewd land buyers had failed The people are peculiar socially, and democrats are chilly. He was glad to get out of Kentucky and into Tennessee, where he soon discovered in the sections he visited that the republicans were not wholly in the minority. Some of the land he bought commanded \$250 an acre.

In the Chicago Saturday Evening Herald appears a complementary reference to a largely attended literary and musical reception at the Home Club, given to members of the club and friends Miss Mary Donnelly and her pupils were on the programme. A bright company of people assumed various characters. The Herald says: "Mr. Giles R. Warren, (of Decatur), is just suited :.. interpret Charles Levee; his face is his fortune if he nees it rightly. . He kept the audience in a merry mood long after he left the

At a general meeting of members o the Decatur Young Men's Christian Association held last evening, a new constitution and by-laws were adopted, such as govern the larger associations throughout the country. A vacancy on the board of directors was filled by the election of J. is a fine one, Mr. Roland Reed and a A. Dawson, and J. Bering Burrows was first-class company in "The Woman elected a member of the board from the Episcopal church. Immediate action will be taken by the board to push the of the organization and make it what it has never been before.

DECATUR now has nine mail carriers and of course the ninth appointee, like unto all other carriers on guard, is a Democrat. His name is Daniel O. Kinkaid, who Postmaster Jack informs us has been on the substitute list for some time. There ought to be no complaint against prompt delivery of mail matter with such a force.

THE members of the Eastern Star will give a farewell reception this evening at their rooms in Masonic block, to Mrs. W. H. Acuff and Mrs. E. W. Shively, who with their husbands and families depart to-morrow for Spokane Falls, Wash., to eside permanently,

High School Alumni.

Meeting at the High School on Thurs day, April 10, at 8 o'clock, for the election of officers and deciding on plans for the reunion in June. All members are urged to attend.

A MEETING of the voters in the First ward will be held at Thatcher's building on North Water street next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, to decide on a candidate for alderman.

At the session of Decatur High School Alumni held last evening it was decided to postpone the business of the meeting until next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Leave all calls for the John H, Eppler carriage line at the New Deming Hotel. Calls made promptly in any part of the city night and day. Telephone 49—will receive prompt attention. Also leave orders at Blaine's drug store; telephone 18. Any 8-dlm

WHEN the double tracks go down East Main and Water streets there will be no delays of the Citizens' electric cars to the depot and hotels, and none to points in the First and Fifth wards.

THE members of the Universalist church will hold a sociable to-night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Burgess, at 225 North Edward street.

"WHEN the spring-time comes," we isually find ourselves drowsy and exhausted, owing to the impure and sluggish state of the blood. To remedy this trouble, take Aver's Sarsaparilla, the most powerful, yet safe and economical, blood-purifier in existence.

MARRIAGE licenses have been issued to Thomas Averatt and Miss Ella D. Jackson, both of Oakley; and to Samuel C. Miller, of Shelby county, and Miss Nettie E. Anderson, of Christian county.

Labres' Bicycle and Lawn Tennis Suits just received at Linn & Struggs. FOR EARACHE. TOOTHACHE. Sore Throw

Swelled Neck, and the results of colds and inflammation, use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—the great pain destroyer.

Trouble on the Short Line. The cars on the Decatur Short Line electric railway were not running this the remaining dynamo at the power house this morning. The first dynamo weakened yesterday and to-day the other gave out. Manager Martin states that the Detroit people have failed to send

quence he is left without power to run The trouble appears to be with the ommutators, and by request Mr. Burks, the electrician for the gas company, was

sent to put the dynamos in proper shape. Fred Fisk is the regular electrician for the Short Line. He and Manager Martin had some trouble and Mr. Fisk was discharged Monday morning. It took two days for the dynamos to get out of kelter. This forenoon Mr. Fisk got a telegram from Detroit to return to work at once. He promises to have the cars running at five o'clock this afternoon.

MR. CLOKEY TO MR. HARWOOD

The East Park Project No Go-Letter to the Council.

It will be observed by the following note, which is a copy of the original sent to-day by Mr. Clokey to Ald. Harwood, of the city council, that the proposition to donate 80 acres of land to Decatur to be used as a public park, has been withdrawn. Mr. Clokey's final action in the matter is governed by the action of the city council and the utterances of the chairman of the park committee at the last meeting. Here is the note:

Aiderman Harwood, Chairman Park Committe Having publicly avowed your intention to deleat the Park project in the east, and the com mittee having been constituted for that purpos I will relieve you from the farce of calling, by sithdrawing our propositions. You will pleas eport this to the council as our answer. J. M. CLOSEY. Decatur, Ill., April 8, 1890.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Supervisor James Freeman is ill.

Oscar Dawson has accepted a position as clerk with Ferriss & Laphan. Attorney G. D. Chaffee, of Shelbyville was in Decatur to-day on legal bus

Logan Phillips, of St. Joseph, Mc., is in the city visiting relatives and friends Mrs. E. W. Ruland, of Camden, N. J. is in the city the guest of her son. H. I

Mrs. A. T. Hill is attending the meet-ing of the Springfield Presbytery in session at Virginia.

Mrs. A. Magill, of Chinton, arrived in the city this morning and is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Elwood.

Arthur Hebberd departed last night for La Crosse, Wis., to visit his parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Hebberd.

Mrs. Ewalt, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roach, departed this morning for her home in Winchester, Ky. Geo. F. Howard, of Paris, Robert B. Porter, of Bloomington, and A. S. Funk, of Danville, were at the St. Nicholas to-

Miss Abbie Pratt will leave to night for Oak Park, Ill., in answer to a tele-gram announcing the sudden illness of her sister, Mrs. I. J. Davis. Fred E. Smith, J. T. Capps and R. C. Steele, business men of Springfield, were

in the city to-day inspecting the electric street railway system. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Shively and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Acuff will leave

to-morrow for Spokane Falls, Wash. where they will locate permanently. Stephen Morehouse, of Omaha, Neb., will arrive in Decatur this evening from Bloomington to visit his father-in-law, County Clerk Hardy, and greet his many

G. A. Hurd, lately an official of the Mackey system of railways with office at Evansville, was a guest at the Hotel Brunswick last night. He left for Chicago this manning. eago this morning.

Sales of Real Estate. Edward B. Dimock to C. A. Hammond,

John A. Swearingen to Mina Wissen, deed to the north half of lot 5, block 2, Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition— Joseph Wissen to Gustave A. Ahrens,

leed to lot 3 in Gault's second addition-James Millikin to Gilbert C. Roberts, leed to lot 13, block 1, and lots 11 and 12,

olock 2. in Millikin' Place-\$2.075. Oliver Z. Greene to I. F. Peck, quit claim to lot 7, block 4, village of Harristown-\$1.

Jordan Burkey to I. F. Peck, quit claim to lot 7, block 4 town of Harristown—\$1.

S. S. Jack to Francis J. Jack. deed to

lot 7 of J. K. Warran's fifth addition to Decatur, and lots 10 and 11 in block I, of P. H. Brueck's second addition to Deca-

tur—\$1400. S. S. Jack to Francis J. Jack, deed to lot 5, block 2. Packard's addition to Decatur—\$216.

In Lincoln's Memory. Major R. B. Hoover, president of the Lincoln Memorial League, is making ex-

tensive preparations for the exercises to be held at Springfield on Monday, April 25, at the Lincoln monument, on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his death. It is evident that there will be a large demonstration on that day, and the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, Woman's Bolist Corne and the North American Relief Corps, and the North American Turnerbund will be there in great num-bers to take part in the exercises. The street parade and exercises will be held directly of the street parade and exercises will be directly after noon, when all trains have arrived, and will conclude in time to let the neighboring friends take the evening train home. Low excursion rates have been secured on all railroads. The Wabash, leading from this point to Spring-field, have arranged to sell round trip tickets at one and one-third fare on April 15, good returning April 16. All soldiers should avail themselves of this opportunity, as it promises to be the most memorable occasion of this character ever held in the /tate.

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Annual Meeting-Decatur Gas Light and Coke Co.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Decatur Gas Light & Coke Co. will be held at the office of said company, 160 South Jackson street, on Thursday, the 10th day of April, 1890, between the hours of 10 o'clook a. m., and 2 o'clook p. m. of said day, for the purpose of selecting nine Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Apr 5-dtd J. K. WARREN, Pres't.

Notice.

To the many customers who have been waiting for the men's fine shoes that have been lost in transit two months, between Decatur and Boston: Came in this morning at Powers' Shoe Store.

THE ST. ANDREW RECEPTION Christian Young Men Meet Friends

at the J. J. Peddecord

Residence

A brilliant and highly enjoyable reception was held last night from 8 to 11 o'clock at the commodious residence of Hon, J. J. Peddecord, given by Mrs. J. H. Vennigerholz to Rev. Montgomery M. Goodwin and the members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, of St. John's church, who extended invitations to the members and friends of the Episcopal church to be present. The society of St Andrew now numbers 18 young gentlemen who are banded together "for the spread of Christ's kingdom among young men," and their influence is already felt in the church work. The symbol of the order is a neat red cross.

The reception was attended by nearly

150 people and the handsome pariors and reception rooms, which were fragrant with flowers from the L. Burrows conservatory, were filled with a congenial company. Mrs. Vennigerholz, who received everybody with charming grace, was assisted in doing the honors by Mrs. B. K. Darfee, Mrs. J. F. Rosch, Mrs. Demas Barrackman, Mrs. R. W. Chilson and Mrs. Brandau, and all were made personally acquainted with the St. Andrew Brotherhood. The pretty souvenirs of the reception were beautiful porcelain Easter eggs, bearing the red cross of the society, and hand-painted in delicate colors, the tasteful work of Mrs. Albert Barnes and Mrs. V. G. Hatch. To each egg was attached a ribbon. From 8:30 to 11 delicious refreehments were served u the dining room. During the evening the society and

guests were favored with charming literary and musical selections. Miss Effic Brown, of the Musical College faculty, who is a gifted electrionist, gave the recitation "Papa's Letter," and also a piano solo. Mr. Patterson and Mr. Hodgins, members of the society, gave vocal solos, and Miss Gertrude Griswold, with Miss Burrows as accompanist, favored the privileged company with two vocal solos which were enthusizatically applauded.

Tax officers and members of the St. Andrew Brotherhood, St. John's Chapter No. 381, are: Rev. Montgomery M. Goodwin, director; Bering Burrows, treasurer; W. Press. Waggoner, secretary; E. P. Bishop, B. F. Bobo, D. A. Barrackman, R. W. Chilson, Will Denton, 8 Fisher, Clem Erisman, F. Hodgins, C. T. Haigh, Dr. M. R. Keeley, George E. Moeller, C. H. Millspaugh, A. C. Race, Prof. Oiof Bull. The Fire Fiend Near Blue Mound.

A large barn at the Ed. Goffinet farm, one mile south of Blue Mound, burned down about 2 o'cleck this morning, burning also eight head of horses and brood mares for Samuel Langdon, tenant, together with all of his harness, wagons. farming implements and considerable feed which was stored in the barn. They had been pressing hay near the barn yesterday and the supposition is that the fire started from the engine, though the men who were running the engine say that before leaving it they put all the fire out and wet the ground thoroughly for a considerable distance around the engine. About twenty neighbors gathered at the scene as soon as the fire was discovered, and by hard work fighting the fire, being also favored by the wind, succeeded in asso hvored by the wind, succeeded in saving a large barn which stood sixty feet distant, from burning, though it was scorched considerably. There were in the barn that was saved about forty-five tons of hay, and several head of colts and cattle, and had it burned Mr. Langdon would have been ruined Ar. it is would have been ruined. As it is his loss is not less than \$1500, on which there was no insurance. The loss on the been included at 1000. barn is about \$1,000.

Washout at Wabash, Ind.

Wabash passenget train, No. 43, which until 12:40 p. m. The delay was Shout of a bridge moor Wabash, Ind. The report that there was a disastrons wreck near Lafayette and that the engineer was killed proves to be a hoax.

Mr. Reed in Comedy. Mr. Roland Reed, always a favorite here, will present his great success, "The Woman Hater," at the Grand opera

house Friday night, which he has been presenting to crowded hon-es through out the country. Mr. Reed needs no introduction, for he is well and favorably known here, and comes, it is said, with an excellent supporting company. The play is an eccentric comedy, full of amusing complications and situations. There is sparkle, a crispiness of dialogue and a sprightliness of humor in the piece that makes it thoroughly enjoyable. Its action takes place in the upper circles of society, its diction is that of refinement and education, its personages abound in humorous pranks, wit and epigram, with out losing hold of good taste—so say admiring critics. It is replete with bright and original lines, while its incidents are

Lodge Trustees. Dove Lodge, No. 600, Odd Fellows, at Warrensburg: R. R. Ballinger, George Culp, O. E. Vail, C. H. Faith and H. Hastings. The Noble Grand is A. F. Nieman; secretary, J. B. Green.

and original lines, while its incidents are laughable and its motives flavor of the

Decetur Lodge, No. 65: John Irwin, John A. Brockway, S. S. Ewing, George Hunsley and Berthold Stine. The Noble Grand is A. Breath, and the secretary I. N. Mertin, jr.

To the Spoe Buyers of Decatur and Vicinity.

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PORTIERES AND POPPING sed Doorways Are Serious Obstacle

A few evenings ago I said to my friend Dareal "Joseph, why haven't you mar ried?" The question seemed abrupt, I admit, but the moment was most propitious. As we sat in the coziest corner of the club room testing a new and recomsensing brand of cigars we talked awhile at random, and finally we, too, drifted to the subject of marriage in Buffalo We spoke of the apparent reluctance of cer

A Chemist's Feat tion, and when Joseph said, "Do not blame them, perhaps it is not their fault," I put to him the startling question, "Joseph, why don tyou marry?" Joseph took several long pulls at his eigar before replying, but finally said, his eyes fixed on the ascending smoke "If you wish to know what has kept me from matrimon; I will tell you. It is the portiere " I stared money was put I -Exchange

Joseph went on 'In other words at as ecause parlors have no doors-becaus our modern houses are one vast whisper ing gallery in which the slightest sound is heard from one end to another. It is years since I have felt sure that I was absolutely alone with a girl-an environ ment necessary for sentimental demon strations But to particularize It is not long since I became unusually interested in a young woman of my acquaintance. Perhaps I was in love with her If not, I know that I might have become so paid her rather marked attention for nearly a year, but in my numerous visits

to her house there was never an opportunity for anything but the most formal conversation Usually her father sat in at the library door-portieres, at the dining room door-portieres, and never an opportunity for that sense of private tete-a-tete which gives a man inspiration for sentimental deeds "Now, it is my idea that the time when mutual love is first acknowledged should

be a supreme moment in life—one to be made the most of, and not to be thrown away by any such insensate proceeding as a proposal by letter or even to be risked at unpropitious seasons, when in terruption is probable or possible. Therefore, I did not tell my love with papa reading his paper in the adjoining room or with the servant fumbling at the side board in the dining room, with only a thickness of curtain between her and us I did not tell my love white all the doors were wide open and the sisters were active in the upper halls, and I could hear the brother in his room overhead dressing to go out No, I waited for some moment of assured privacy It never

There was a long silence 'Well' I said at last "That is all Last summer the young woman in question made a visit to a provincial town, where she could shut the parlor door While there she became engaged and was married last autumn '

"And that is courtship as she is con lucted in Buffalo ' I sighed "That is the state of things in time houses out of ten where I pay social a sats, said Joseph Dareal And as I recalled the homes of our wedable but unwedded maids I con cluded that Joseph was not wrong, and that what is most needed by our young men 18 not courage, but "a chance Buffalo Courier

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Well, when our advertising car got along there last season the men wanted one side of a cooper shop to display some of our finest pictures The owner wanted \$35 in cash and ten free tickets for the privilege, but we refused to be robbed. He finally came down to \$20, then to \$15, and we offered him \$10. He said he would take an hour to think it over, and at the end of that time I went to get his answer

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Well, you see how it is My wife is ery sick and liable to die If she lives we can use two of the tickets to go to the circus If she dies I can use one, but have to give the other to my sister in law for helping at the funeral That s what I have just agreed to do Make it \$10 50 and ten tickets and you can have

'As business is business, I agreed to his terms, but I never ached harder in THE FIFTH ANNUAL METWING my life to give anybody a good licking -New York Sun

Some birds are gifted with a sense of diservation approaching to something very like reasoning faculties as the following anecdote proves. At a gentle man's house in Staffordshire the pheas ants are fed out of one of those boxes the hd of which rises with the pressure of the pheasant standing on the rail in front of the box A water hen, observ ing this, went and stood upon the rail as soon as the pheasant had quitted it, but the weight of the bird being insufficient to raise the lid of the box, so as to enable it to get at the corn the water hen kept umping on the rail to give additional mpetus to its weight. This partially succeeded, but not to the satisfaction of he sagacious bird, which, therefore vent off and, soon returning with a bird of its own species, the united weight of the two had the desired effect and the successful pair enjoyed the benefit of their ingenuity --- Month

Useless Knowledge

Cookery School Projector - I have called, Mrs. Slimdiet, to ask if you would not like to join our cookery class just

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Mrs Shmdiet (boarding house keeper) -Oh I don t care to spend money learnin' now to get up a lot o Frenchified dishes. 'Ah but you do not understand Our sons are devoted to the preparation of all sorts of nice and palatable dishes just from things left over, you know"
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Water is one of the hardest of all sub

tances to heat This furnishes a good illustration of the law of the conservation and transformation of forces. To raise one pound of water one degree in a minute is required a heat which, if applied to an engine, would raise 773 pounds of water or any other substance one foot high To raise eighty six pounds one degree in a minute would be equivalent to rusing eighty six times 772 pounds to tle height of one toot in a minute -Washington Post

A foreign chemist lately performed quite a feat. The explosion and fire at Antwerp reduced to a chaired mass a bun dle of 1 v00 florin Austrian obligations Without presentation in some identifi able form there could be no payment The imperiled of hightions were given to the chemist and he succeeded in separ ating the whole of them and finding out the numbers and upon his report the

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S. BONEHAM, Prop'r.

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Louisa J Devore, Deceased Estate of Louisa J Devore, Deceased
Th. undersigned, having been appointed Ad
ministrator of the seatte of Louisa J Feore,
late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois,
deceused, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the Councy Court of Macon county,
at the court house in Decatur, at the June
term, on the first Monday in June next, at
which time all persons having claims gate
tend for the purpose of having the same
adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate
are requested to make immediate payment to
the undersigned
Dated this "Sh day of March, 1800
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The Citizens' Electric Street Railway Co., OF DECATUR, ILLINOIS
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Public notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern, that The Citizens Flectric Street Railway Company, of Decatur, Illinois on MONDAY the 7th day of April, A D 1890, at the regular place of meeting of the etty council of the city of Decatur, will present its petition to the and etty council, for leave and permission to lay, construct and meintain another struct rallway track upon the following street, between the points named, making the frack of the said company on such street, between the points named, adoubte one, to-wit Commencing at the intersection of East Main Street and North Water street, and thence northward on North Water street to a point just north of hast willtam street. Said leave and permission prayed for to be for the full term of twenty (20) years and upon such terms and conditions sanctioned by law, as shall seem proper to the city council, and for the best inherests of the public Decatur, Illinois, March 28th, A. D 1890.

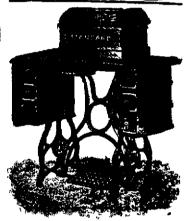
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Moses Wachtel and Carl S. Weine partners as Wachtel & Weille vs. Louis Fieur.) Attach inent.

I ubile notice is herchy given to the said Louis Fietry, that a writ of attachment, issued out of the effect of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of March and State of Illinois, dated the 18th day of March a D. 1890 at the suit of the above, named plaintiffs and against the goods and chattels, tights, moneys credits and effects of the said cleind int, Louis Fieurs of the said clein distributed to execute, and the said sheriff having returned the said the said sheriff having returned the said the said Louis Fieurs on due inquiry cannot be found. Now therefore unless you the said defend int, Louis Fieurs shall personally be and appear before the first day of the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House in the city of becaute in said county on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1800 give ball and plead to the said plaintiffs action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said plaintiffs, and so much of the goods and chattels, credits and effects attached as may be sufficient to salisfy the said judgment and rosts will be sold to satisfy the same K. MccLEI LAN, plaintiffs attry,

The Citizens' Blectric Street Railway Co., DAVID S. SHELLABARGER, President.
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